

# CSS *.class* Selector

## Example

Select and style all elements with class="intro":

```
.intro {  
  background-color: yellow;  
}
```

More "Try it Yourself" examples below.

## Definition and Usage

The *.class* selector selects elements with a specific class attribute.

To select elements with a specific class, write a period (.) character, followed by the name of the class.

You can also specify that only specific HTML elements should be affected by a class. To do this, start with the element name, then write the period (.) character, followed by the name of the class (look at Example 1 below).

HTML elements can also refer to more than one class (look at Example 2 below).

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## Browser Support

Selector				
<i>.class</i>	Yes	Yes	Yes	

## CSS Syntax

```
.class {  
  css declarations;  
}
```

## More Examples

### Example 1

**Style all <p> elements with class="hometown":**

```
p.hometown {  
  background-color: yellow;  
}
```

### Example 2

**This <p> element will be styled according to class="center" AND to class="large":**

```
<p class="center large">This paragraph refers to two classes.</p>
```